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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR ELECTION/RESTRICTION

In response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2005, Applicant hereby elects to pursue the invention of Group I, claims 1-11 and 16 drawn to a method for automatically updating non-image data at the first storage location. The election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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